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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the application of
C. Aita et al.

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The Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed July 6, 2000, having a response due date by October 6, 2000. The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. A request for extension of time for responding to the above referenced Office Action, from October 6 to January 6, 2001, is filed herewith.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend specification as follows:

Page 2, line 14 replace "god" with -- good --;

Page 3, line 17, replace "component is" with -- forms a --;

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